

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

JOINT PETITION FOR ARBITRATION OF )  
NEWSOUTH COMMUNICATIONS CORP., NUVOX )  
COMMUNICATIONS, INC., KMC TELECOM V, INC., )  
KMC TELECOM III LLC, AND XSPEDIUS )  
COMMUNICATIONS, LLC ON BEHALF OF ITS )  
OPERATING SUBSIDIARIES XSPEDIUS )  
MANAGEMENT CO. SWITCHED SERVICES, LLC, ) CASE NO.  
XSPEDIUS MANAGEMENT CO. OF LEXINGTON, ) 2004-00044  
LLC, AND XSPEDIUS MANAGEMENT CO. OF )  
LOUISVILLE, LLC OF AN INTERCONNECTION )  
AGREEMENT WITH BELL SOUTH )  
TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. PURSUANT TO )  
SECTION 252(B) OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT )  
OF 1934, AS AMENDED )

ORDER

NewSouth Communications Corp. and NuVox Communications, Inc. and Xspedius Communications, LLC on behalf of its operating subsidiaries Xspedius Management Co. Switched Services, LLC, Xspedius Management Co. of Lexington, LLC and Xspedius Management Co. of Louisville, LLC and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. having filed a joint motion for an extension of time in which to file briefs and the Commission finding good cause, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. The joint motion for an extension of time is granted.
2. Post-hearing briefs shall be filed with the Commission no later than July 15, 2005, and reply briefs shall be filed with the Commission no later than August 12, 2005.
3. The due date for the Commission's decision is extended for 45 days from the deadline for filing reply briefs, or September 26, 2005.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of June, 2005.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

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Executive Director

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